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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450FROM: Elena DreszcrOUR REF: 2167.004US1TELEPHONE: 571-272-3854FAX NUMBER (571) 273-8300

* Please deliver to Examiner Paula Klimach in Art Unit 2135. *

Document(s) Transmitted: RCE Transmittal and Postcard filed on 10/24/2007 (2 pages), Returned Postcard (1 pg.), Supplemental Notice of Allowance (2 pgs.) and Listing of Allowed Claims (3 pgs.)Total pages of this transmission, including cover letter: 8 pgs.

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In re. Patent Application of: Jaap A. Haitzma et al.Examiner: Paula KlimachSerial No.: 10/073,772Group Art Unit: 2135Filed: February 11, 2002Docket No.: 2167.004US1Title: GENERATING AND MATCHING HASHES OF MULTIMEDIA CONTENT

Dear Examiner Klimach:

This is regarding the Non-Final Office Action mailed on January 9, 2008, which states, "this office action is in response to amendment filed on 10/26/2007." As I expressed in our telephone conversation yesterday, the RCE that was filed on 10/24/07 did not include an amendment. The purpose for filing the RCE was solely to submit additional prior art references for consideration by USPTO. Attached for your convenience is the RCE transmittal and the returned postcard from the USPTO. As you can see, there was no amendment filed at that time.

Also attached for your convenience is the Supplemental Notice of Allowance 11/02/2006 which allowed claims 3-10, 18-20 and 26-28. A listing of the allowed claims is also attached. I stress again that no amendments have been submitted since the date of the Supplemental Notice of Allowance.

We trust that you once again will review this matter and withdraw the Non-Final Office Action mailed

on January 9.

We believe that the claims remain in condition for allowance and therefore an allowance is respectfully requested.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Lena Dreszer', written in a cursive style.

Lena Dreszer
January 29, 2008

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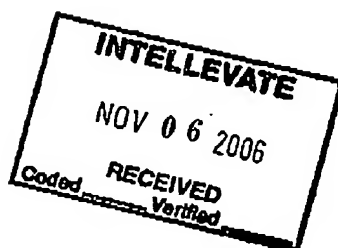
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Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

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Supplemental Notice of Allowability	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Paula W. Klimach	2135	

-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--

All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1. ☒ This communication is responsive to telephonic conversation on 2nd October 2006.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 3-10, 18-20, and 26-28.
3. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
 - a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
 1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
 2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
 3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

* Certified copies not received: _____.

Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" of this communication to file a reply complying with the requirements noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONMENT of this application.
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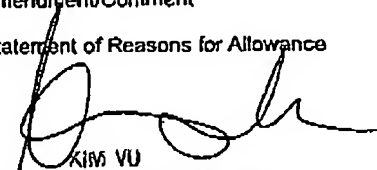
4. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
5. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
 - (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
 - 1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
 - (b) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date _____.

Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).
6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

1. ☐ Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
2. ☐ Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
3. ☒ Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08),
Paper No./Mail Date 3/21/06
4. ☐ Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit of Biological Material

5. ☐ Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
6. ☐ Interview Summary (PTO-413),
Paper No./Mail Date _____.
7. ☐ Examiner's Amendment/Comment
8. ☐ Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance
9. ☐ Other _____


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